



What is Idahoans for Healthcare?

Idahoans for Healthcare is a coalition of healthcare providers, business leaders, community organizations, and grassroots activists committed to fixing our state's healthcare coverage gap by expanding Medicaid.

On November 6th, Idahoans in every corner of our state will have the opportunity to vote to expand healthcare to 62,000 of our neighbors. We know that from Bonner's Ferry to Idaho Falls, Idahoans are ready to do what's right for our state and fellow Idahoans.

What is the “coverage gap”?

In 2014, thousands of uninsured Idahoans became eligible for assistance to help them purchase coverage through the state's health insurance exchange, Your Health Idaho. This change helps keep middle-income families healthier and financially secure.

However, thousands of Idahoans have been left out because they earn too much to qualify for Medicaid, but can't afford coverage through the state health insurance exchange. This is the coverage gap.

What would Medicaid expansion do?

The ballot measure would expand access to healthcare through Medicaid to state residents who earn less than \$17,000 or \$29,000 for a family of three. These Idahoans – working moms and dads and seniors nearing retirement age with jobs that don't provide health coverage – fall into the gap.

Medicaid expansion would bring millions of dollars of federal funds back to Idaho – funds that Idahoans already contribute to through federal taxes. 90% of the total cost will be covered by the federal government, taking the financial pressure off of state and county budgets that currently absorb the costs of care for uninsured Idahoans.

Your support makes a difference!

- Visit www.IdahoansforHealthcare.org or www.facebook.com/Idahoans4Healthcare to sign up to be involved in the campaign.
- Encourage your friends, neighbors and family members to support the campaign.
- Speak with organizations you're a part of about how they can support this common-sense solution.